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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Paolo COZZI et al.

Atty. Docket. No. 101615-00007

Serial No.: 09/623,506

Examiner: M. Benton

Filed: September 19, 2000

Art Unit: 1646

For: ACRYLOYL DERIVATIVES ANALOGOUS TO DISTAMYCIN, PROCESS
FOR PREPARING THEM AND THEIR USE AS ANTITUMOR AGENTS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231
Sir:

April 26, 2002

Applicant petitions for an extension of time for two months for response to the outstanding Office Action dated November 26, 2001 from February 26, 2002 to April 26, 2002. Attached is our check in the amount of \$400.00.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 01-2300.

Respectfully submitted,

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